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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Vanitha RAMAKRISHNAN *et al.*

Application No.: 09/003,810

Filed: January 7, 1998

For: INHIBITORY IMMUNOGLOBULIN
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) Examiner: Dr. P. Gambel TECH CENTER 1600/2900

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL FORM AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

1. Transmitted herewith are the following:

- Drawings: Formal Informal (Correction)
- Information Disclosure Statement
- Form PTO-1449, _____ reference included
- Preliminary Amendment
- Request to Transfer Sequence Listing
- Submission of "Sequence Listing", computer readable copy and/or amendment pertaining thereto for biotechnology invention containing nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence.

2. Extension of Time

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR § 1.136(a) apply.

Applicants believe that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

Applicants petition for an extension of time, the fees for which are set out in 37 CFR § 1.17(a), for the total number of months checked below:

<u>Total Months Requested</u>	<u>Fee for Extension</u>	<u>[Fee for Small Entity]</u>
[] one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
[] two months	\$ 380.00	\$190.00
[] three months	\$ 870.00	\$435.00
[] four months	\$1,360.00	\$680.00
[X] five months	\$1,850.00	\$925.00

Extension of time fee due with this request: **\$925.00**. This petition extends the time for response to the Office Action of March 26, 1999 to September 27, 1999 (September 26, 1999 falling on a Sunday).

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a Petition therefor.

An extension for __ months has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$ _____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

3. **EXCEPT** for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. § 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310. This paragraph is intended to be a **CONSTRUCTIVE PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME** in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(3).



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4. Fee Calculation

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid	Present Extra	at Rate of	Total Fees
Total Claims	23	minus	24	0	x \$18 each=	+ \$ 0
Independent Claims	3	minus	3	0	x \$78 each=	+ \$0
[x] First presentation of Multiple dependent claim(s)				1	\$260.00	+ \$0

5. Fee Payment

[] No fee is to be paid at this time.

[] Check in the amount of \$ ____ which includes, \$ ____ for __ month extension of time and \$ ____ for _____. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional extension of time fee or additional fee for claims due to Deposit Account No. 50-0310.

[x] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the five month extension of time fee in the amount of **\$925.00** and any other fees which may be required, including fees due under 37 CFR §§ 1.16 and 1.17 to Deposit Account 50-0310.

Respectfully submitted,

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REQUEST TO TRANSFER SEQUENCE LISTING

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of March 26, 1999, Applicants respectfully submit that the computer readable form of the sequence listing required in the above identified application is identical to that filed in parent Application (Serial No. 08/258,283), filed June 10, 1994 (now Patent No. 5,817,310, issued October 6, 1998). The time to respond to the Office Action has been extended to September 27, 1999 by an accompanying five month extension of time (September 26, 1999 falling on a Sunday).

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.821(e), Applicants request that the only computer readable form filed in the parent application be used for the instant application. It is understood that the Patent and Trademark Office will make the necessary changes regarding the application number and filing date for the computer readable form that will be used for the instant application. A

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paper copy of the Sequence Listing is included with the accompanying Preliminary Amendment for incorporation into the specification.

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